no inference should be drawn that the Government has conceded to this.

Mr. V. K. Kochunni Menon.—This is practically an *ex parte* order. We had no opportunity of explaining the matter, when the last order was passed.

President.—We shall try. Everybody is interested in this Library. I myself have been the President of this Library for the last ten years. It is a common matter, and unless it is absolutely necessary, you must avoid discussions of such simple matters.

Dr. A. G. Menon.—We are all for that.

Mr. V. K. Kochunni Menon.—I don't press this motion

The adjournment motion was not pressed and hence it was considered withdrawn.

Bill to amend the Cochin Penal Code.

President.—The next item is the motion of the Law Member that the Bill to amend the Cochin Penal Code be taken up and passed.

Mr. A. Sankara Menon.—I beg to move that the Bill to amend the Cochin Penal Code be taken up and passed.

Mr. T. K. Krishna Menon.—I second it.

Question proposed: *That the Bill to amend the Cochin Penal Code be taken up and passed.*

Question put and agreed to.

Bill to amend the Cochin Municipal Regulation XI of 1096.

Mr. A. Sankara Menon.—I beg to move that the Bill to amend the Cochin Municipal Regulation XI of 1096 be taken up and passed.

Mr. T. K. Krishna Menon.—I second it.

Question proposed: *That the Bill to amend the Cochin Municipal Regulation XI of 1096 be taken up and passed.*

Question put and agreed to.

Bill to amend the Cochin Limitation Regulation.

President.—The next item is the presentation of the Select Committee's report by Mr. Kannan Nayar.

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar.—I rise to present the report of the Select Committee submitted on Limitation Regulation. I also move that the Bill as reported by them be considered by this House. The report itself is an exhaustive one. The notes on the sections as also the clauses are sufficient to make the House understand the nature of the changes recommended by the Select Committee so that I do not think that I need make any elaborate speech with reference to the several changes

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